IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Rajan et al.

Confirmation No.: **8383**

Application No.: **10/692,227**

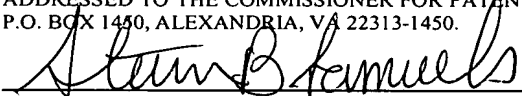Group Art Unit: **2162**

Filing Date: **October 23, 2003**

Examiner: **Fred I. Ehichioya**

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR STORING AND RETRIEVING A FIELD OF A USER-DEFINED TYPE OUTSIDE OF A DATABASE STORE IN WHICH THE TYPE IS DEFINED**

DATE OF DEPOSIT: October 30, 2006

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID, ON THE DATE INDICATED ABOVE AND IS ADDRESSED TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450.

TYPED NAME: Steven B. Samuels
REGISTRATION NO.: 37,711

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

SUBMISSION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.114

This paper accompanies a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and constitutes the required submission therefor. In response to the Advisory Action dated **August 15, 2006**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

☐   **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page _____ of this paper.

☒   **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

☐   **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page _____ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

☒   **Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.